



NEWS RELEASE

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Highway crews cleaning up latest snowfall

Motorists reminded to reduce speed, be alert for slick spots, blowing snow

FRANKFORT, Ky. (March 6, 2013) – Kentucky Transportation Cabinet highway crews continue to clean up after the latest round of winter weather moved across the Commonwealth.

Crews are still rolling throughout the state this morning, primarily in counties east of Louisville. In most areas, crews are treating roadways. In portions of southern and central Kentucky, crews are plowing roads and treating problem spots.

The cabinet reminds motorists:

- Exercise greater caution when driving. Slow down!
- Be prepared for slick conditions.
- Give a wide berth to snow plows and other heavy highway equipment.
- Eliminate distractions while behind the wheel.

KYTC crews work as long as necessary to keep roadways open in winter. The cabinet's vehicle and equipment fleet includes 1,065 snow plows. In addition, the cabinet can call on more than 375 snow-removal contractors.

Condition reports on major routes are available by calling 511 or by logging onto the 511 travel and traffic information website, 511.ky.gov.

The cabinet's SAFE Patrol is available to assist motorists whose vehicles become disabled on Kentucky interstates and parkways. For SAFE Patrol assistance, call 511 or toll-free at 1-877-FOR-KYTC (1-877-367-5982.)

Activity by highway district:

District 3:

Spot Treating

Warren

Edmonson

Todd

Simpson

Plowing and Treating

Metcalf

Barren

Allen

District 4:

Treating

Meade

Washington

Breckinridge

Hardin

Nelson

Larue

Marion

Grayson

Taylor

Green

Hart

District 5:

Plowing and Treating

Trimble

Spencer

Henry

Oldham

Shelby

Patrolling

Jefferson

Bullitt

Standby

Franklin

District 6:

Treating

Carroll

Owen

Robertson

Campbell

Gallatin

Bracken

Harrison

Grant

Pendleton

Boone

Kenton

District 7:

Plowing and Treating

Fayette

Woodford

Madison

Scott

Bourbon

Clark

Mercer

Boyle

Treating

Montgomery

Anderson

Jessamine

Spot Treating

Garrard

District 8:

Spot Treating

Casey

Rockcastle

Russell

Wayne

McCreary

Lincoln

Pulaski

Adair

Cumberland

Clinton

District 9:
Spot Treating

Greenup
Mason
Lewis
Elliott
Boyd
Fleming
Carter
Nicholas
Rowan
Bath

District 10:
Treating

Powell
Magoffin
Wolfe
Owsley
Morgan
Menifee
Estill
Lee
Breathitt
Perry

District 11:
Plowing and Treating

Jackson
Whitley
Bell
Clay
Laurel
Leslie
Knox
Harlan

District 12:
Spot Treating

Lawrence
Johnson
Martin
Floyd
Pike

Treating

Knott
Letcher

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